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**UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION  
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Attorney Docket No. 08265/192983

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Title Animal Decoy

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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. ☐ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
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2. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 12]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
  - Descriptive title of the invention
  - Cross Reference to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
  - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
  - Background of the invention
  - Brief Summary of the invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s)
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 4]
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Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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12. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
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15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
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Prior application information:

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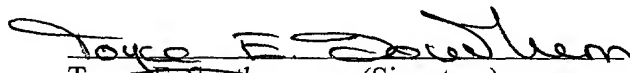
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**TRANSMITTAL OF APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.41(c)**

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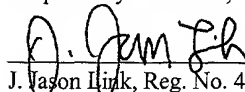
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Applicants hereby claim priority under 35 USC §120 to US Patent Application Serial No. 09/130,710 filed on August 6, 1998. Applicants have submitted herewith a copy of a signed oath or declaration from US Patent Application Serial No. 09/130,710. The assignee of record of US Patent Application Serial No. 09/130,710 changed the power of attorney and correspondence address during prosecution of the application. Copies of the documents submitted to change the power of attorney and correspondence address during the prosecution of US Patent Application Serial No. 09/130,710 are also submitted herewith. A copy of the acceptance of the change in Power of Attorney received from the Patent Office is also submitted herewith.

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